

**PATENT APPLICATION**

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116  
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE  
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3723**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Noriyoshi OKUZONO et al.

Group Art Unit: 3723

Application No.: 10/596,724

Examiner: D. NGUYEN

Filed: June 22, 2006

Docket No.: 145181

For: CORE FOR WASHING SPONGE ROLLER

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the June 15, 2010 Office Action, the period for reply being extended by the attached Petition for Extension of Time, reconsideration of the rejection is respectfully requested in light of the following remarks.